THE TROUBLES IN JAMAICA SPORTS AND

COVERNOR'S HIGH-HANDED ACTION RE-GARDING TARIFF BILL.

CEASURE STRONGLY OPPOSED IN THE ISLAND-

ELECTIVE HOUSE THREATENS TO RESIGN. Kingston, Jamaica, March 22.—The political crisis n Jamaica that was foretold in a dispatch of Feb-mary 21 has developed. The colony entered the cute stage yesterday evening, and what the next reek or day may bring forth it would need a wise

trophet to forecast.

The Legislative Council met on March 14, and the Foregree it turned out to be waste paper. At the jext day's sersion the Government introduced a lew tariff bill making drastic innovations, such taxing at 16% per cent sewing-machines, typeeriters, printing material, stationery, printed books, jewspapers, magazines, school books, etc., and puting on the free list luxuries, including photographic

The Elective House declined to discuss the bill, of which they had no notice, and by a solid, unani-nous vote threw out the first reading. By a juibble the Governor ruled that the bill from that noment went into operation, adjourned the Council council, which sustained his ruling and ordered to lew tariff into immediate operation concurrently with the existing one, which expires on March 31,

This arbitrary act, as it is designated, caused commotion in commercial circles. The general public was not less excited. The newspapers raved and prophesied no end of evil. Even "The Gleaner," perhaps one of the most conservative and non-committal papers in the British colonies, and which meceives Government money, set aside all restraint

One is inclined to ask whether we are living inder British rule or under the dominion of some Eastern potentate. The thing is preposterous. What is really desired? Is it disaffection and riot tmong the people? There is no surer way of bringng this about than by pursuing a course that will make it appear to them that their social and material elevation is undesired, and the consequence

financial measures and withdrew the outrageous ruling, as they expressed it, by which the new tariff had been forced on the country, and whereby ery conceivable mechanical aid to industry and Sterature had been subjected to heavy taxation.

The Governor yesterday evening took steps to The Governor yesterday evening took steps to block this programme. He issued a proclamation professing the Council and another convening it to meet to-day at 2 o'clock. At the same time he esued a mainfesto declaring that with the consumerace and under the instructions of Mr. Chamberlain he would by this step be enabled to remitroduce the tariff bill and carry it through taking such steps as are necessary and as he is authorized by the constitution to take to secure that poject.

are unalimods—
The tariff bill thus passed, a Crown Colony bill is expected to follow, to be similarly forced through. To meet this crisis it is this morning reported that at a private mosting of the Representatives held late last night it was unanimously decided that if the Government brings in new official members and declines to withoraw the new tariff altogether they will resign their seats in a body, thus compelling an appeal to the voters.

SCHOONER'S CREW IN DANGER.

Halifax, N. S., March 29.-A schooner is reported here on the east side of Digby Gut. ashere on the enst side of Pigry Gat. A here's southeast gale is raging, and the crew are in a perilous position. The vessel is in danger of going to pieces unless the storm abates. The schooner Kedron (?) is ashere, with her rudder gone and bottom damaged.

The schooner is supposed to be the Alice, Captain Starratt, Joggins for Annapolis, with coal. The fate of her crew is unknown.

DISCHARGES IN BANKRUPTCY.

Judge Brown of the United States District Court yesterday granted discharges to nineteen bank-

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SPORTSMEN.

PROGRAMME OF SPORTS TO-DAY CYCLING.-Spring cycle show, Grand

Central Palace. BILLIARDS.—Amateur tournament, Ives's BASEBALL - Princeton against Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.; Yale Hopkins University, Baltimore, Magainst Georgetown, Georgetown,

GOLF.

STATEN ISLAND CRICKET CLUB'S NEW HOME-OPENING OF THE ST. AN-DREWS SEASON-NOTES.

The Staten Island Cricket Club expects to have its new clubhouse at Fox's Hills in position to-morrow, and if no further delays occur it will be ready It has been moved several hundred yards in order to secure a more destrable site on one of the knolls of the links, and the work of remodelling it for the club's golfers will begin at once. At a meeting of the club on Tuesday J. Maxwell Carrere, Malcoim Graham, Ir., Dr. Burdett O'Connoy, E. D. Crowell and George E. Armstrong were elected the Golf Committee for the cusuing year, and these men are determined to push the improvements with all possible speed. The first nine holes of the new course will probably be ready by May 1, certainly by May 14 when the club hopes to hold an informal tournament. So many applications have been received for membership that after April 1 the initiation fee will be raised to \$50.

Following the lead of golf players in this district golf clubs in and about Boston have decided to establish a district league, and a meeting for the repose of organization is to be held at Young's Hotel to-day, when it is expected that delegates will be present from most of the outlying suburhs

It was understood up to yesterday that the electif members had determined unanimously to block
till further business until the Government yielded
to their constitutional right to accept or reject

The St. Andrews Golf Club will begin its season on Saturday with a members' handicap at medal play. The following week the links will be turned over to the schoolboys for the interscholastic cham-nionship, under the auspices of the Cutler School, but on April 22 the club has arranged to meet the Lekewood golf team, and on May 13 it will play the Richmond County Country Club's team. The Philadelphia Country Club, which has been

selected for this year's women's golf champlonship, has decided to spend considerable money in lengthening and improving its course. When the alterations are completed the bogie score will be 76 strokes, 37 out and 35 in.

be held next week at St. Andrews, will close to-merrow with H. B. Hollins, Jr., or W. L. Gunther, No. 29 East Fitteth-st. New-York. A fee of 50 cents must accompany the entry, which should also state the player's handicap at his home links.

BASEBALL.

YALE WINS AN INTERESTING GAME FROM THE MANHATTAN COLLEGE TEAM AT JASPER FIELD,

Probably seven hundred spectators braved the baseball game played in this district. The contest was between the Yale and Manhattan College teams, and the sons of Old Ell won after a wellcontested battle. The Manhattan team won last anxious to duplicate their victory this season. The Yale men showed careful training and excellent physical condition, considering the little oppor-

COLONELS FIGHT THE NEW SCHEDULE. Louisville, March 29.-President Dreyfuss started last night for Washington to seek President Young's co-operation in his fight against the playling schedule adopted by the League club owners last Saturday. Mr. Dreyfuss said before starting that he already had the promise of five other clubs to stick to him. They are New-York, Boston to stick to him. They are New-1ork, Boston, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Pittsburg. He said he was trying to get Baltimere in line, and if that club comes over there will be a majority to effect a reconsideration of the schedule. Mr. Dreyfuss said further that the vote for a revision of the schedule would be by telegraph, and that he would remain in Washington until the Louisville club's alleged wrongs were righted.

BROOKLYN EASILY DEFEATS SOLDIERS. Atlanta, Ga., March 26.-The Brooklyn team rossed bats with a team made up from the 35th Michigan Regiment here this afternoon, and the professionals won as they pleased by the score of to 6. The soldlers came to town from Camp McKenzie with flying colors, convinced that they would be able to take a little concell out of the professionals from the North. The score:

GEORGETOWN WINS FROM LEHIGH. Washington, March 29.-Georgetown bunched her hits to-day, mainly in the fifth inning, and won ensily from Lehigh. Kenns struck out fourteen men. Score:

Butterles Georgelown, Kenna and Granston; Lehigl Kelly and Carmen, Umpire-Mr. Tenny, Time-2:35.

TO FIGHT IN THE AFTERNOON.

The managers of the pugilists, Fitzsimmons and leffries agreed yesterday to have the battle be-

tween those two men take place at Coney Island and begin at 2 p. m. The early afternoon is selected because !! is thought that better pictures can be

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NEW CRAFT UNDER WAY FOR THE IM-PORTANT RACES OF THE YEAR.

Bristol, March 29 (Special).-It is now known that the new defender's length over all is slightly over the 130 feet previously mentioned. The first esti-mate was based on the knowledge that seventysevon frames spaced twenty inches en centres would go into the boat. But the work is now so far along as to show that the boat's structure so far along as to show that the boat's structure goes about three feet forward of frame one, and about two feet aft of frame seventy-seven. She is about seven feet longer in this region than the Defender. Her beam is just over twenty-four feet, and apparently about two feet two inches greater than the water-line beam of the Defender, while the draught in both boats seems to be about the same, say, nincteen feet six inches. There is a slight "tumble home" in the sides for the purpose of dragging less water when heavily heeled. FOR THE CANADA'S CUP.

Boston, March 23 (Special).-J. E. Burroughs, of Rochester, N. Y., secretary of the Yacht Racing Union of the Great Lakes, is here to overlook the work on the racer that is being built at Hanley's yards for a Rochester syndicate, of which he is

the leading member. This boat is intended to compete in the trial races at Chicago, which will begin on July 4, and in which a craft to support the Chicago challenge for the Canada's Cup will be chosen. If chosen for the race she will traverse about four thousand miles before finishing her work.

footers are being built here to contest in the trial races for the defence of the Canada's Cup, which Royal Canadian Yacht Club in July. One of these

ing built here for the Canada's Cup trial races. Herrick Duggan, of Seawanhaka Cup fame, has just returned to Montreal after starting the building of the 35-footer he designed for George Reid, ling of the 35-footer he designed for George Reid, Wilton Morse and Frank M. Gray, all of the Royal Canasian Yacht Club. In this club Commodore A. Emilius Jarvis has ordered another 35-footer for the same trials from the design of Arthur Payne, of Summers & Fayne, England, but may not sail the boat, being ordered South for his health. He is now at Old Point Comfort. Two other craft for the defence trial races are being built at Montreal. So far eight Canadian defenders are counted. Chicago, March 29 (Special) -The 25-footer being

built here by Alexander G. Cuthbert is to be called the Veva. This is for George R. Peare, vice-commodore of the Chicago Yacht Club, and much reembles the 26-footer Sylvia, by the same designer, which won fourteen firsts and five seconds in twenty-one races, five of the races she lost being wenty-one races, are or the races sale lost being won by her sister yacht, the Mirage. Three other vessels are being built here for the trial races, to begin on July 4; another will certainly come from Rochester, and several more are expected from Detroit and Toledo. These trials are open to all the United States.

FOR THE SEAWANHAKA CUP. Boston, March 23 (Special).-B. B. Crowninshield,

of this city, has received an order from a Bridge-port, Conn., syndicate to build a 20-footer for the which are to be sailed on July 10, 11 and 12. syndicate is headed by T. H. Macdonald, of Bridge-port, and the boat ordered is to be about thirty-two feet over all, seventeen feet six inches waterline and eight feet beam. She will be like C. D. FOR THE COUPE DE FRANCE.

London, March 29.-The international trophy known as the Coupe de France, which was won last match races come of at Cowes in August, by Edyard Hore, who has been having great success with his yacht Laura in the Riviera regattas, But for so important a trophy as the Coupe de France Mr. Hore will not rely on the Laura, but will have Sibhick, of Cowes, turn out another boat for him. It is said that Count Castellane will have a vacht built to sail for the cup, and the races will take place in the Solent, under the auspices of the Royal Temple Yacht Club.

LAUNCH OF THE SHAMROCK IN JUNE. physical condition, considering the little opportunity the team has had for any extended outdoor work this spring.

The home players took the lead in the third inning and they held the advantage to the sixth, when the Yale men made a run and evened up matters. In the lucky seventh inning the visitors from New-Haven began to wield the bat with better results, and the three runs scored decided the same Robertson pitched a good game and his support was excellent throughout. Castro pitched well, but his support was not of the same grade as that given Robertson. The score was as follows. her builder. Everything however, he pointed out, will be done strictly according to the rules of the cup competitions, and nothing in the nature of sharp practice will be attempted. Sir Thomas Lipton refused to discuss the construction of his yacht.

LONG ISLAND TROUT SEASON OPENS.

OWING TO THE WEATHER CONDITIONS, FEW FISH WERE TAKEN.

Patchogue, Long Island, March 29.-The trout eason opened on Long Island to-day, and the is four days earlier than on former years. The well-stocked ponds of the different clubs on their private reservations were crowded with anglers the greater part of the day. In fact, some of the amateur fishermen got out their rods and were at their favorite places at daybreak.

The South Side Sportsmen's Club, at Oakdale, and the Suffolk Club, at Brookhaven, have trout Members of the Brooklyn Rod and Gun Club, the Nisseauogue Club and the Wyandanch Club, which control ponds at Smithtown, were also easting their lines early.

handed.

At Sayville old fishermen who seldom fall to make a good catch reported they had not taken a fish. Others brought back a few fish of fair size. The streams are muddy, owing to the heavy rains, and all are swollen to their banks.

ATHLETICS.

ENTRIES FOR THE SEVENTH REGIMENT GAMES. The entries for the 7th Regiment games on April E. 119; F. 32; G. 27; H. 18; L. 24, and K. 10. The en-tries for the interscholastic 440-yard run will remain open until April 3. The banners, flags and decorations used at the military band concert will remain in place for the games,

BILLIARDS.

MANNES BEATS NORTON IN THE AMATEUR TOURNAMENT.

The third game in the amateur balkline tourna st. and Brondway, resulted in a victory last night for J. H. Mannes, who beat J. T. Norton, of the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, by 200 to 143. Man-Knickerbocker Athletic Club, by 200 to 143. Man-nes made an average of 35-55, while his highest run was 21. Norton's average was 213-65 and his best run il.

The standing of the players is: Douglas, won 2, lost 6; Mannes, won 1, lost 6; Senatius, won 0, lost 1, and Norton, won 6, lost 2. Holahan has dropped out. This evening Douglas will play Mannes.

THREATENED SUIT OVER "THE CUCKOO." Henry E. Walton, through his counsel, James

Supreme Court for an injunction restraining Charles Frohman from producing "The Cuckoo" at Wallack's Theatre on Monday evening next un-less he comes to an arrangement with him (Walhe wrote a play, which is the series in 1886, and says that it was produced in this city and in other places on a number of occasions. Ho alleges that Frohman's production, which is by an English author, is an infringement of the copyright

English author, is an intringement of the copyright of his play.

A. H. Hummel, who represents Frohman, said that Walten could bring any action he chose, but could not possibly succeed, as Justice Truax had held in "The Fortune Teller" case that an injunction because of the alleged copyright of a play cannot be sustained. There was, Mr. Hummel said, no similarity between the two plays, and Mr. Frohman would produce his "Cuckoo" no matter what steps were taken by Mr. Walton.

CYCLING.

NOVELTIES AT THE SHOW AT THE PAL-

GOVERNOR ROOSEVELT ASKED TO AID IN STOP-PING SIX-DAY BICYCLE RACES-NOTES

Grand Central Palace is now a week old, the interest manifested by the vicitors appears to be as keen as ever. There was a good-sized attendance last night, while many women and children were nearly every day, which illustrates the activity of the inventive genius in his effort further to the hurdles are not much higher than a cigar-box, the hurdles are not much higher than a cigar-box, but those who have tried to dodge a brick in the road can appreciate the difficulty of Fisher's undertaking. Ike Johnson, the colored trick rider, also gave an interesting exhibition on the wheel. The polo games on wheels keep the onlookers wondering where the management gats all the bicycles to use in such a rough game. New wheels are smashed with alarming frequency. Those who are satisfied with merely looking over new models find plenty to interest them. There are puncture-proof tires, coaster brakes and gas and acctylene lamps of all sorts and shapes.

vision Board of Officers of the League of American Wheelmen considerable work was accomplished. The officers indorsed the Foley bill, which when passed, will regulate the holding of long-distance bleycle races. The bill makes it unlawful for a rider to continue in any race for more than twelve hours in any twenty-four hours. Governor Roosevelt has been requested to favor the bill. The appended resolutions were passed:

appended resolutions were passed;

Whereas. The following-ramed counties have filed with the State Engineer and Surveyor seventy-nine petitions (covering 50 miles) asking for State aid under the Highie-Armstrong law. Albany, Chemung, Clinton, Columbia, Delaware, Erie, Herkiner, Monroe, Montsomery, Onelda, Onondaga, Orange, Orleans, Rensselaer, Rockland, Onondaga, Orange, Orleans, Rensselaer, Rockland, Schenectady, St. Lawrence and Westchester; and Whereas, To build the roads petitioned for would require an expenditure on the part of the State of over \$2,000,000; therefore be if. Resolved, That the New-York State Division of the League of American Wheelmen urges the passage of a bill by the Legislature of the State of New York, appropriating \$1,000,000 for the construction of improved highways under the provisions of existing laws, and further requesting the Governor to approve of such an appropriation; and be it further.

Resolved, That the secretary-treasurer be, and he hereby is, instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to Governor Roosevelt and to each member of the Legislature.

The practicability of the blcycle has been demon strated time and again, but perhaps never better than in the instance of a Crawford wheel ridden

by a physician in this city. Since 1837, when he purchased the machine, he has ridden sixteen thoupurchased the machine, he has ridden sixteen thousand accredited miles. In this period the doctor did not expend a cent for repairs, and the only sign of wear is in the left pedal and the top bar of the frame, where the enamel is rubbed off. Estimating five cents' fare for each five miles ridden, to have covered the same distance would have required an expenditure of Res. So blevele riding saves money. The machine is on exhibition at the spring Cycle Show. The Madison Wheelmen have issued a souvening

pin to commemorate the first anniversary of their occupancy of the present clubhouse. The pin represents a sprocket wheel surmounted by a pair of engle's wings and a miniature of President Madison surrounded by a wreath of laurel. The pin is of gold and royal blue, the club colors. The club's membership has increased in one year from 25 to 175. The first schedule run will take place on April 2, around New-York City. It is expected that a hundred members will be in line if the weather is favorable. The high winds yesterday aided materially in

drying up the roads in this district, yet compara-tively few cyclists were seen. The winds were raw and penetrating, and the average cyclist was content to reel off a few miles and return home.

MR. SHERMAN BROUGHT TO HIS HOME. PHYSICIANS SAY HE IS DOING AS WELL AS CAN

BE EXPECTED. Washington, March 29 .- Ex-Secretary John Sherman is again at his home in this city. He reached Washington at 7 o'clock this morning from Old Point Comfort. Throughout the night he rested ney. Mr. Sherman was brought from his stateroom in a chair and carefully borne to a carriage in waiting. The party was driven directly to his home, in K-st. With Mr. Sherman were Mrs. Mc-Callum, of this city, his daughter, Dr. McGill and Messrs. Wiborg and Probasco, of Ohio, relatives. At the house the patient was placed in the care of trained nurses and Dr. W. W. Johnston, of this

condition, the physicians attending Mr. Sherman say he is doing as well as can be expected. The physicians were gratified at the satisfactory condition of the sick man when he arrived in Washington after his long sea voyage and several transfers from ship to ship. While traces of pneumonia are still apparent, yet the disease itself has disappeared.

BUILDING BURNED IN BOSTON.

Boston, March 29.-The Badger Block, a five-story structure in Wareham-st., in the heart of the wood-planing district of the South End, was burned out this afternoon. The total loss is about \$55,000. The building was owned by the F about \$45,000. The building was owned by the F. Badger estate and was occupied by six firms, as follows: E. E. Badger, wood driers; Chase Refrigerator factory; P. M. Wight, carpet cleaning; McGhee & Son, stair builders; P. F. Conion, papier maché; J. F. Whelpie, skate manufacturer; C. A. Henry, scenie painter. In the fire two men were slightly burned.

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ACTIVITY IN NEW-YORK CENTRAL.

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but declare that this is far off as yet. Those who are buying the stock, it is generally credited, are largely those who believe in the reports that in time the stock will pay an increased dividend, and are getting hold of it for an investment. They are maintuisating the stock for higher prices.

New-York Central opened vesterday at 123%, one half per cent above Tuesday's close; sold as high as 144%, and closed at 142%, a net gain for the day of 2% per cent. Chicago and Northwestern advanced 1% per cent, closing at 189%. New-York Central stock had another day of activity yesterday, and went rocketing away above the high prices recorded in its last sensational COLONEL HERRICK DECLINES PRESIDENCY Cleveland, March 19.-It is stated that Colone plunge upward. Even old speculators and keen students of stock fluctuations are wondering what Myron T. Herrick, one of the receivers of the Wheeling and Lake Eric Raliroad, which is about to be reorganized, has been asked to become the president of the company when his duties as re-ceiver cease. It is understood, however, that Colobe obtained from responsible officials. The general belief among those who are buying the stock is all official connection with the road as soon as the general scheme of consolidation now being effected on the Vanderbilt system. The absorption of the Lake Shore was the first step. It was quickly foiand Robert Blickensderfer have been the receivers of the company for several years.

WHEN SYRIANS GET TO TELLING TALES.

Shore. Now it is boldly stated that the North-western, the Union Pacific and the Oregon Short Line are to be merged into the Cent.al, and in Line are to be merged into the Central, and in time also the Big Four, the Chesapeake and Ohio and other smaller roads. It is said that this immense consolidation will increase the value of New-York Central, the parent stock, which will become a 7, 8, 9 or 10 per cent dividend payer. One can hear all figures gravely quoted as absolutely true. On the other hand, the operating officials of the New-York Central, and even the men who are directing the affairs of the entire system, dilared developments. They cautiously admit that perhaps a 5 per cent basis for the stock may be reached. Bitatir (Syria) letter in The Chicago Record.

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At 80c., for \$1.65 quality.
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Third-Black Silk Grenadines. Only a thousand yards of them, -a tale of an hour. It will be necessary to say nothing more than this,—they are 45c. goods, to be sold at 25c. a yard.

Fourth-Grenadine Cheviots for 35c. a vard that are real dollar-a-yard goods. First told about on Monday, and if it hadn't been for Tuesday's weather, there would be no sequel to the story. As it happens, however, there is a fair assortment left. In comers which should prove interesting are black and also in these colors:-

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for \$25 is on the best tempered steel springs, and the covering is leather; -note that, leather in your choice of two colors, olive or maroon.

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scotch Muslins, only a few hundred yards, and so only 37c, yd-much less than value. Shirred stripes in colors; for lorg or sash curtains. Colors in light hangings have been in such demand that goods in initiation are in the market. These are genuine Scotch goods, 48 in. wide.

Sik motre portieres, fringed top and bettorn; 9 colorings, former price, \$18.50; to close at \$9.50 pair.

Ruffled muslin curtains—a lot of extend designs, about 50 pairs, to close at 75c, pair; ysiue \$1.35.

Plain or figured muslin curtains, with gathered c musling to close at 75c, pair; ysiue \$1.35.

Plain or figured muslin curtains, with gathered c musling the pair and upward, figured, from \$1.25 pair; other up to \$4.50 pair.

Ruffled Net Curtains, in white or ecru, with lace insertion and close; \$1.50 to \$16.50.

Imported Net Curtains, in white on ecru, with lace insertion and close; \$1.50 to \$16.50.

Imported Net Curtains, in white or ecru, with lace insertion and edge; sash curtains to match. Full size Curtains, \$2.50 to \$3 a pair.

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Abide in Christ. Rev. Andrew Murray.
Like Christ. Rev. Andrew Murray.
Daily Food for Christians.
Gold Dust.
Proceed upon Proceed.

Gold Dust.
Precept upon Precept.
Precept upon Precept.
Prep O Day.
The Minitions of Christ. Thomas Hughes.
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The Christian Life. Rt. Rev. A ston Oxenden.
The Christian Life. Rt. Rev. A ston Oxenden.
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